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SUBJ B.C. CABINET CHANGES

1. ON OCTOBER 3 B.C. PREMIER DAVID BARRETT ANNOUNCED THAT MINISTER OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS ROBERT STRACHAN WAS RESIGNING CABINET POST AND WOULD BE REPLACED BY CARL LIDEN, NDP MEMBER OF LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FROM DELTA RIDING JUST SOUTH OF VANCOUVER. AT SAME TIME MINISTER MINES AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES LEO NIMSICK SHIFTED TO BECOME MINISTER OF TRAVEL INDUSTRY, TAKING THAT PORTFOLIO FROM ERNEST HALL WHO REMAINS "PROVINCIAL SECRETARY" IN SENIOR CABINET POSITION. MINISTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GARY LAUK ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY FOR MINES AND PETROLEUM RESOURCES IN ADDITION HIS FORMER RESPONSIBILITIES.

2. PREMIER BARRETT ALSO GAVE UP HIS DIRECT COMMAND OF FINANCE MINISTRY WHICH HE HAD HELD IN ADDITION TO RESPONSIBILITIES AS PREMIER AND "PRESIDENT EXECUTIVE COUNCIL." MINISTER AGRICULTURE DAVID STUPICH BECOMES MINISTER OF FINANCE IN ADDITION TO FORMER RESPONSIBILITIES. POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE THESE MOVES, AS I PERCEIVE THEM, BEING REPORTED SEPARATELY.  
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